



WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The treasury department recently sent telegrams to almost every small town in the United States asking whether its banks were functioning, whether it had proper credit facilities.—This was done after various Brain Trusters had hammered home the point that in large sections of the United States there were no banks at all.

The Treasury's action is considered one of the most significant monetary moves under the New Deal.—If the Treasury is convinced that certain areas are without banks, it might open postal savings for checking accounts.

Ham Fish, famous Congressional Red-Baiter, is backing one of the Nazi propaganda booklets. It is called "Communism in Germany" and, although printed in English, it is patently a product of the Nazi propaganda bureau. In fact the translators forced to translate one caption from German into English. Several Nazi books of this kind are now being circulated.—Charley Hart, retiring Minister to Persia, has a swell new job representing American importers in Russia. Before Russian recognition, Hart attracted attention by being the first American diplomat in a decade to pass through Soviet territory.—William H. Hornbrook, who succeeded Hart in Persia, says he is going there for his asthma. The climate is dry. Hornbrook served as Minister to Siam under Woodrow Wilson, has been publishing Utah newspapers ever since.

MORE SILVER

Shrewd speculators of India apparently are convinced that the United States will adopt a silver standard. As a result of the international silver understanding India was to refrain from selling silver for four years. During this period the United States was to buy 24,000,000 ounces, thereby boosting the price. Hitherto, India has depressed the market by her sales. It is now disclosed that she also is buying silver in the United States. India has more silver than any other country in the world but is gambling on the future.—Senator Dickinson of Iowa, once a timid yes-man for Herbert

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Two Boys Will Plead Guilty to Robberies

BERKELEY, Dec. 23.—Held to answer on a robbery charge, Woodrow Strohallen, 17, 2009 Thirty-sixth avenue, and Manuel Pine, 17, 2446 Roosevelt avenue, Oakland, announced their intention to plead guilty and ask the court's mercy in their appearance before Judge Oliver Young here this morning.

Strohallen, wounded by Patrolman Roland Sherry who fired several shots at him as the youth escaped from the chain store at 1647 Hopkins street a month ago where he and Pine attempted the robbery, admitted his participation in the crime. Pine did likewise, and said he had fired on the officer to scare him away.

Steel Bids On Junior High To Be Called

Bids for steel for reconstruction of the Roosevelt Junior High school were called yesterday by the high school board.

The bids will be opened Tuesday afternoon, January 9, at 2 o'clock.

It is estimated that the steel will cost about \$7,000. All other work is being done almost completely by local men.

Liquor Expert Is Killed in Blast

SCENLEY, Pa., Dec. 23.—UP—An explosion in a temporary building of the Joseph S. Finch and company distillery here caused the death of Thomas Bray an English expert, recently brought to America to distill gin. A gin still burst, hurling Bray through the sides of the sheet metal building. Two other men were burned.

Boy Killed While Getting Mistletoe

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 23.—UP—There was no Christmas joy today in the home of Clifford E. Kuentzel, Bakersfield merchant. His 6-year-old son, Clifford, Jr., was dead. The child fell from a tree in which he was gathering mistletoe for his parents.

Merry Christmas to All!

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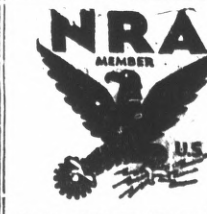
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YULETIDE TO BE OBSERVED IN RICHMOND

Christmas, one of the best and many Richmonders, since the boom days of 1928 and 1929, will be celebrated tomorrow with appropriate ceremonies.

It was a good Christmas season for Richmond merchants, they reported yesterday at the close of business. Increase of 50 percent in business were reported in some stores, while others reported 25 percent gains over the last season.

NEEDY AIDED

It was a good Christmas for needy families in Richmond. With a large number of men at work on PWA projects, checks were received yesterday that were spent for Christmas joys.

The Social Service Bureau and other charity agencies in the city did their part, too. In addition to their activities, churches, P. T. A.'s and others gave baskets of food and clothing to needy families.

PARTIES GIVEN

On Friday night the Richmond service clubs, acting in cooperation, entertained at a Christmas party at Lincoln school, at which time needy kiddies were given gifts.

The Christmas season was a general one of giving.

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Four Unhurt In Two Auto Accidents Here

Four persons escaped serious injuries yesterday afternoon in two automobile accidents reported to police. One accident involved two automobiles while the second concerned a motorcycle and a car.

Stephen Huzefka, 637 Twentieth street and F. E. Perry, 780 Thirty-second street, were the parties involved in the first accident. Their cars collided at Twenty-third street and Burbeck avenues. Both machines were only slightly damaged.

In the second accident, a motorcycle driven by Albert Dabich of 226 Solano avenue, crashed into a car driven by Charles Benoldi of 642 Thirty-fourth street and Thirty-fourth and Macdonald. Both cars were only slightly damaged.

L. A. New Water Tunnel to Cost Eight Million

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 23.—UP—Bids for the construction of nine miles of Colorado river aqueduct tunnel have been requested by directors of the Metropolitan Water District.

Simultaneously the board called for bids on \$9,046,000 worth of aqueduct bonds to raise funds to finance construction work until September 1, 1934.

Six tunnels, ranging in length from less than a mile to nearly two miles, are included in the construction, which will bring the total amount of tunnel under construction to 91 miles.

Star Seeks to Save Her Home

WATERBURY, Conn., Dec. 23.—UP—Fritz Scheff went back to her job as a New York tap room hostess today, confident of saving enough money between now and April 2 to rescue her Hotchkiss Lake home from foreclosure.

The famous singer appeared before Superior Court Judge Newell Jennings and obtained a fourth extension on paying off a mortgage of \$1598.

Spanish Official Is Feared Dying

MADRID, Dec. 23.—UP—Colonel Francisco Macia, president of Catalonia, took a dangerous turn for the worse today and his physicians were anxious. There was a strict censorship of messages as he gathered from Barcelona, where Macia was operated on for appendicitis.

140 KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK STATE PEN REFORMS ASKED

300 INJURED AS EXPRESS HITS LOCAL

PARIS, (Sunday) Dec. 24.—UP—One hundred and forty persons were reported unofficially to have been killed in one of the most serious train collisions in French railroad history early today.

An unofficial estimate placed the number of injured at 300.

TRAINS COLLIDE

The wreck occurred when the all-steel Strasbourg express telescoped the wooden coaches of Chateau Thierry, local train near Lagny, about 20 miles from Paris.

The express train was running at 100 kilometers (62 miles) an hour to make up time lost in a heavy fog.

COACHES JAMMED

The coaches of the local were jammed with gift laden, cheerful crowds homeward bound for Christmas.

The joy of the passengers was changed into scenes of horror as cries of dying children for their parents sounded through the splintered coaches.

BODIES FOUND

First aid workers strove to untangle victims from the jumbled seats where packages, trimmed with holly and mistletoe were mingled with broken bodies.

No Americans were known to be among the victims, but many prominent United States citizens live in the Marine district and it was feared some might have been on the wrecked train.

RUN IN FOG

Both trains were more than an hour behind schedule. The Chateau Thierry train had been stopped by the explosion of a bomb signal because the fog had disrupted all schedules.

The express, with the engineer unable to see the stop signal because of the fog ploughed through the wooden coaches of the local.

The locomotive, tender, the baggage coach and two coaches of the express piled into the local.

He Just Could't Wait



City Faces Flood Water In Northwest

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—UP—Northwest floods struck new heights and increased their death toll Saturday.

Keisno, Washington, residents were moving out.

Woodland, Wash., was practically deserted after special trains were put into service removing flood victims.

At least 12 persons were dead in Oregon and Washington's worst flood in history. Thousands of acres of land were under water.

Urgent appeals were launched for immediate relief for at least 10,000 persons believed totally or partially in need.

The Willamette river passed the 25-foot stage in Portland. Lowlands near here were certain of heavy flood damage. The Cowitz and Coe-wan rivers carried less water tonight owing to a let-up in rain, but the high Columbia was backing them up to flood levels.

Will Fight For Free Coinage

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 23.—UP—Thoroughly disappointed by the silver buying policy of the Federal government, advocates of re-monetization tonight planned a demonstration in the coming session of congress for free coinage of the white metal on a basis of about 16 to 1 with gold.

But little time will be required, bimetalists asserted, to show that no considerable improvement of the silver situation can result from the government decision to buy silver at 61 1/2 cents an ounce.

Mistrial Halts Battery Charges

REDDING, Cal., Dec. 23.—UP—Unable to reach a verdict after 17 hours deliberation, the jury which heard Charles Kuppinger, wealthy Lakeport contractor, go on trial on charges of assault with intent to commit murder, was discharged here early today.

The jury did, however, find Kuppinger not guilty of a charge of robbery.

Kuppinger was charged with having shot Hugh M. Noble, also of Lakeport, and with stealing a \$25,000 promissory note from Noble last September.

Lions Club to Hear Talk By Woman Flier

Rev. A. J. Case, pastor of the Wesley Methodist church, will be chairman of the day when the Richmond Lions club holds its meeting Tuesday at the Hotel Carquinez.

Miss Katherine (Kay) Case, daughter of the pastor, a teacher at the Manteca Union high school, will be the speaker of the day.

Her topic will deal with "Here and There With an Aviator." Miss Case is a member of the "99 Club," a national organization of women fliers. She holds a pilot's license.

E. J. Hill will entertain with musical numbers.

Elks Lodge at Yuletide Party For Children

The Richmond lodge of Elks entertained last night for their families at a gay Christmas party held in the Elks clubrooms.

The affair was attended by members of the organization and their friends.

Santa Claus was present and distributed gifts to the kiddies.

Dancing and refreshments were enjoyed by the parents.

On Tuesday night when the lodge meets, plans will be made for a New Years party.

Woodin Reported As "Improving"

TUCSON, Ariz., Dec. 23.—UP—Dr. Jerome Wagner, New York, personal physician to William Woodin, Secretary of the Treasury, arrived here today and said that a throat ailment suffered by Woodin was improving.

"Mr. Woodin's condition is improving although complete convalescence will be slow," Dr. Wagner said.

Barbers Wife Is Robbed by Yeggs

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—UP—Two bandits robbed Mrs. Leonard Marcus, one-time wife of John (Jack) the Barber, Factor of \$2000 today. The men, both young and carrying sawed-off shotguns forced their way into her apartment and fled after ransacking it.

STATE NEED OF PRISONS EXPLAINED

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—UP—An extensive program of building, to provide California with several new institutions for criminals, is necessary to meet the present and future needs of the State's growing penal problem, according to a report submitted to Governor James Rolph today by the State Board of Prison Directors.

Pointing out the serious overcrowded conditions in Folsom and San Quentin penitentiaries and the rapid rate of increased prison population, the directors, supported by the board of vision terms and paroles, recommended:

1. An institution for offenders never or unlikely to be released.
2. An institution of the type of San Quentin prison, including hospital facilities, psychiatric ward and industrial facilities.
3. An institution under prison authority for the criminal insane.
4. An institution under prison authority for the criminally technic-minded.
5. A prison farm or farms with housing facilities of the dormitory type.
6. Road camps.
7. The creation of a department for the care of inmates for ascertaining past life habits and environment of those to be sent here for parole.

Prisons now are so crowded that three and four men are occupying the space originally allotted to the housing of one, the report said. This situation was believed to aggravate the twin threats of institutional recidivism, sickness and unrest, and to handicap any constructive program of rehabilitation.

Population at San Quentin has grown from 329 in 1927-28 to 526 in 1933, an average increase of 161 prisoners monthly. In Folsom there were 260 prisoners in 1927-28 and 284 in 1933, and average increase for 52 prisoners a month.

Hill Climb Is Planned On New Year

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Dec. 23.—UP—For the eleventh successive year a band of hardy mountaineers tonight were making preparations to greet the coming of a New Year from the summit of Pike's Peak, one of the tallest peaks of the west.

Exactly on the stroke of midnight Dec. 31, as millions in the nation's cities too whistles and blow horns, 16 members of the Ad-A-Mountain club will begin the task of setting off more than 3,000 pounds of fireworks, producing a pyrotechnic display which is expected to be visible more than 100 miles away.

Simultaneously they will seek the short wave radio, to establish contact with Admiral Richard Byrd the club's only flying honorary member.

Local Lodge Entertains With Program

Members of the Austro-American society entertained last evening at a Christmas party held at the Woodmen hall.

The affair was attended by members and their families and a jolly evening of Christmas festivities was enjoyed.

Santa Claus put in his appearance at an early hour and distributed gifts to the children.

John Shidich headed the committee in charge.

Father Of Radio Singers Is Killed

FLORENCE, Ariz., Dec. 23.—UP—J. D. Downey, San Francisco, father radio fame, was killed in an automobile accident near here today and Miss Janet Morris, Hollywood who was a member of a traveling road show with which Downey was connected, was seriously injured.

It was reported that Miss Morris' back was broken.

Japan Is Happy Over New Heir

TOKIO, Dec. 23.—UP—A joyous citizenry, who for months prayed for a male heir to the ancient imperial throne of Japan, today celebrated the birth of a son to Emperor Nagaku.

FAR NORTH PLANS FOR CHRISTMAS

Clustered under the Arctic Circle in the frozen waste land, of the north are half a dozen outposts of the civilized world. The United Press herewith presents the Christmas story of these far flung communities—the first stops of Santa Claus in his annual journey from the North Pole.

AKLAVIK, Northwest Territories, Dec. 23.—UP—(By radio to the United Press)—Traveling by dog team, trappers and Eskimos flocked tonight to this far northern outpost not far from the shores of the Arctic ocean.

It was expected that 200 Eskimos, with 500 dogs, would be accompanied here. They were joined by between 75 and 100 Liechieux-Indians with their families and 150 more dogs. Also gathered for the celebration were 35 white trappers and their families.

A big feast was planned for Christmas day, with square dances and the Red River jig to chase away any traces of indigestion. While the holiday week is staffed itself with turkey, Aklavik is eating wild game.

Aklavik is planning a Christmas on the "outside" as possible. Each of the two missions has a Christmas tree, and a crimson-nosed trapper has been commissioned as Santa Claus.

FORT NORMAN, Northwest Territories, Dec. 23.—UP—There is only one turkey here for Christmas and only one white reindeer awaiting Santa Claus' annual visit. Wild birds will be served at the

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Time For New Auto Licenses Is Approaching

Preparations are being completed this week for issuance of about two million sets of new license plates for 1934 to California car owners. Promptly following the advent of the new year the period for renewal of automobile registration will open on Tuesday morning, January 2, and continue to January 31 at midnight. With less than a month of business days in which to secure their new plates, motorists are urged in a statement by the California State Automobile Association to apply early and avoid the usual last minute rush, with its delays, long waiting in line, and other inconvenience.

The state registration fee fixed by law is \$3 for private passenger automobiles. Those who fail to apply before expiration of the renewal period will be required to pay \$5 instead of \$3, as a penalty.

San Pablo Woman Taken by Death

Death yesterday claimed Mrs. Carlotta Casazza, of San Pablo, following a short illness. Deceased was 46 years of age, a native of Italy and had lived in San Pablo for the past several years.

Surviving relatives include her husband, Sarafino Casazza, four daughters, Naoma, Mabel, Edna and Delphina of Richmond; four brothers, John, Louis and Germano Casazza of Richmond and Joseph of Italy and a sister Erminia of Italy.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning with a requiem mass at St. Paul's Catholic church at 10 o'clock. Entombment will be in St. Joseph's mausoleum.

Rosary will be recited at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Ryan funeral parlors.

Contagna Funeral Held Yesterday

Funeral services for Daniel Contagna were held yesterday morning from the Ryan Funeral Home. Services were conducted by the Richmond Eagles.

Interment was in Sunset View cemetery.

Merry Christmas to All!

Greetings From West Side

Westside Service Garage

KEN W. KOHT, Prop.
MOTOR SPECIALISTS BRAKE SPECIALISTS
101-114 Garrard Blvd. Phone Richmond 490
Body and Radiator Repairing Towing

GUST ALLYN

MEN'S FURNISHINGS
131 Washington Avenue
Point Richmond

Santa Fe Meat Market

ED MEURER, Proprietor
155 West Richmond Avenue
Telephone Richmond 163

Westside Market

CHARLES CERIDONI, Proprietor
FRUITS and GROCERIES
147 W. Richmond Ave., Point Richmond
Telephone Richmond 135

SEASON'S GREETINGS FROM Palmateers Pharmacy

H. N. PALMATEER, Proprietor
134 Washington Ave., Point Richmond
Telephone Richmond 127

C. Gordon Perault

GENERAL AND MARINE HARDWARE
136 Washington Avenue, Point Richmond
Telephone Richmond 251

Daniels & Bowden

PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS & AUDITORS
412 American Trust Building
Telephone Richmond 1644

WOLFFS & CO.

JEWELERS
920 Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 3338

Central Furniture Co.

HOME FURNISHERS
1234 Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 1238

El Cerrito Athletic Club

6120 Potrero Ave. Phone Rich. 1132

Shaw's Service Station

GEORGE W. SHAW, Prop.
23rd & Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 907

Dr. Lowell R. Sears

CHIROPRACTOR
1115 Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 286

J. E. HILL

GENERAL INSURANCE
American Trust Bldg. Phone Rich. 153

Richmond Funeral Parlors

Henry C. Goodman, Claire Curry Schmidt
332 Eleventh St. Telephone Richmond 828

Mc RACKENS

FINE WEAR FOR MEN
1011 Macdonald Ave. Phone Rich. 248

Mechanics Bank

E. M. DOWNER, President
Macdonald at Ninth
BRANCHES AT:
San Pablo and Fairmont, El Cerrito.
San Pablo and Potrero, El Cerrito.

WILSON & KRATZER

MORTICIANS
AUBREY WILSON, Manager
705 Bissell Avenue
Telephone 113

A. L. Paulsen

SNAPS IN REAL ESTATE
267 Tenth St.
Telephone Richmond 738 W

BEN MALIK

LEADING CLOTHIER
816 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone Richmond 987

Richmond Hardware Co.

LEADING DEALERS
Macdonald at Eighth
Telephone 155

Quality Meat Market

Telephone Richmond 2602
T. D. MORGAN, Proprietor
1032 Macdonald Avenue

Clifford Anglim

ATTORNEY AT LAW
First National Bank Building
Telephone Richmond 342

B. B. Shoe Store

QUALITY SHOES
720 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone Richmond 1447

Joe's Battery Service Station

JOE PERASSO, Proprietor
1329 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone Richmond 1456

Fischers Cash Grocery

STAPLE GROCERIES
GEORGE F. BLACK, Manager
Fourth and Macdonald
Telephone Richmond 25

C. J. LAMBRECHT

FEED AND FUEL
2207 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone 1058
LIME CEMENT ROCK GRAVEL

Leo G. Marcollo

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
Telephone Richmond 2918
American Trust Building

C. C. KRATZER

BUICK DEALER
Tenth Street at Bissell Avenue
Telephone Richmond 27

THOMAS M. CARLSON

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
1017 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone Richmond 2490

Conn Drug Co.

ELMER G. CONN, Prop.
938 Macdonald Ave. 2234 Macdonald Ave.
Telephone 421 Telephone 19

Economy Electric Co.

EVERYTHING ELECTRICAL
Sixth Street at Nevin
Telephone 1948

M. J. Welding Company

MARTIN JANSOONE, Manager
222 Macdonald Avenue
Telephone Richmond 3097

WATER SUPPLY FOR AREA IS NOW ASSURED

With 54 inches of snow on the summit of the Sierras, the storage of the 1933-34 crop of water for the East Bay Municipal Utility District has again, it was reported today by Frank W. Hanna, chief engineer and general manager.

Local rainfall measured at upper San Leandro reservoir is 6.9 inches to date against a normal of 6.12, but this precipitation is insufficient to produce any runoff into the reservoirs, it was said. Snow which falls on the higher reaches of the mountains melt in the late spring, producing the peak "harvest" season of water in May.

Water storage in Purdie reservoir is still declining and is now slightly less than 10 billion gallons, while storage in San Pablo reservoir also dropped materially during the last two weeks. There was a slight rise in upper San Leandro and Chabot, though a reduced amount of water was conveyed through the Mokelumne pipe line.

Consumption of water averaged about 26 million gallons daily, which represents a lower figure than for the previous month owing to recent rains.

Hanna reported that activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps camp at San Pablo reservoir are now fully under way, and that the dam working on a road around the dam which is to be used as a fire break.

Goes to Hollywood



AARON ROSENBERG, All-American University of Southern California guard, has successfully settled the problem of what to do with a griddle after the season's over. Today he's an assistant director on the film lots, shown above, lunching with Jean Harlow.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

THE CHRISTMAS STORY

The Christmas story is told in the Gospel of Luke, chapter 2, verse 1. It tells of the birth of Jesus Christ in Bethlehem. The story is a beautiful and inspiring one, and it is one that we should all know and understand. The story is told in a simple and direct way, and it is one that we can all understand and appreciate.

The Christmas story is a story of hope and joy. It is a story that tells us that God has sent His Son into the world to save us from sin. It is a story that tells us that we can all have a part in the life of Jesus Christ.

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Topic Today At the Scientists

"These signs shall follow them that believe: In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; they shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover." These words from the Gospel of Mark comprise the Golden Text to be used tomorrow in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist in Boston, Mass. The subject of the Lesson-Service will be "Christian Science." Included among the Scriptural selections will be: "But the Comforter, which is the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you" (John 14:26).

The following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy will also be included: "Our Master said, 'But the Comforter, who shall teach you all things, when the Science of Christianity appears, it will lead you into all truth'" (p. 271).

Deaf-Mutes Are Married by J. P.

HANFORD, Pa.—Justice of the Peace Harry V. Brenton proved himself resourceful.

Bradley James Duncan, 24, and Annie Elizabeth Poly, 21, Visalia deaf-mutes, appeared before him to be married.

For a moment the justice was at a loss. The usual question and answer form of ceremony, he realized, could not be used.

So he wrote the questions for the couple. They smiled and nodded their answers.

Then the justice triumphantly pronounced a typed statement pronouncing them man and wife.

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Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, 1400 14th street, underwent an operation at a San Francisco hospital yesterday.

Charles Johnson, former local contractor, was a visitor from the city yesterday.

Jack Dooney and Florence, both of Richmond, applied for a marriage license in Marin county yesterday.

Elmer Holm and Evelyn Kivens, both of Richmond, applied for a marriage license at Reno yesterday.

Rev. K. B. Wallace and family leave tonight for Anaheim to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stone of Caspar, Wyoming, are a visitor at the home of Mrs. Mary Carr.

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Oakland Tennis Stars Named by Net Association

NEW YORK, Dec. 23. (AP) — Every top position in the 1933 pro tennis rankings, announced today by the United States Lawn Tennis Association, is occupied by a player from California.

Donna Budge of Glendale, the number one player, while Bill Johnston of San Francisco, ranked second, is a resident of the city.

Bill Johnston, ranked Number 1 in the boys' singles, Bonnie Miller, Los Angeles, heads the list in the girls' singles.

The Los Angeles double team of Gene Akers and Benjamin Day, top the junior double rankings. Leading the boys' doubles is the all-California duo of Robert Hines, Oakland, and Robert Hines, Los Angeles. Miss Miller and Frances Herron, Los Angeles, are top the lead on position in the girls' doubles.

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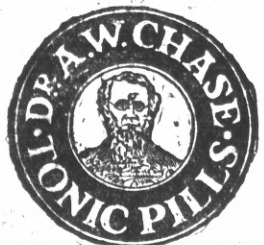
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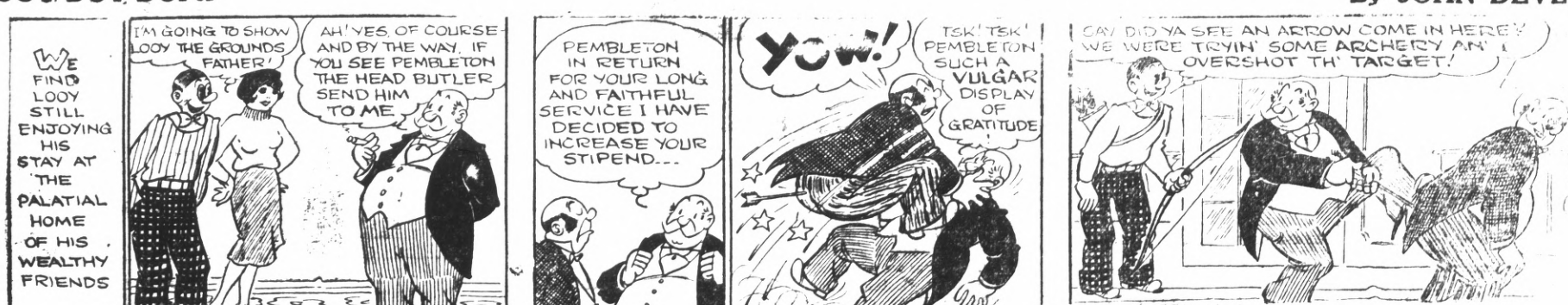


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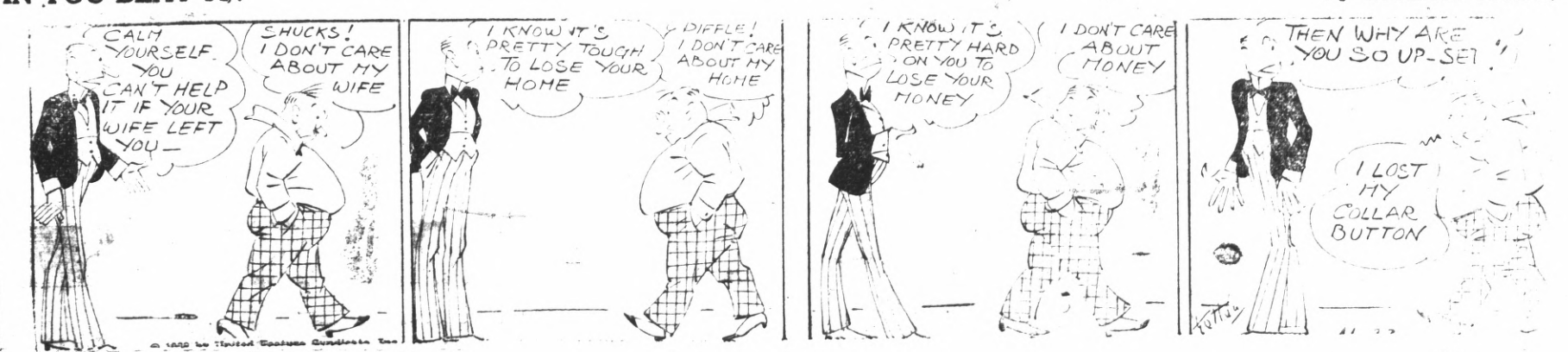
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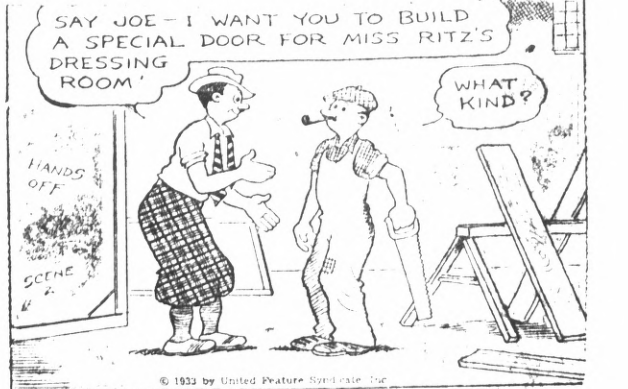
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BIG BATTLE OVER GRID RULES SEEN

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—UP—A big battle over the football rules is forecast for the 14th annual meeting of the American Football Coaches' association which will be held in Chicago Tuesday and Wednesday.

"Unless the college game is opened up, and the rules amended to make the game more thrilling to the spectators, we can't start looking for the customers in the professional ranks in a few years," said Dr. J. Walter P. Steffen, advising coach at Carnegie Tech.

Among the rule changes which have been suggested are:

- 1.—Permit forward passing any place behind the line of scrimmage.
- 2.—Return the punt kicks to the goal line.
- 3.—Abolish the "dead ball" rule, which prevents a ball carrier from continuing after one knee has touched the ground.
- 4.—Increase the "line of scrimmage" from 10 to 15 yards.
- 5.—Abolish the "fumble" rule, which prevents a player from running with a recovered fumble.
- 6.—Permit a team on windy days to surrender the ball 25 yards down the field in lieu of a punt, provided it is inside its own 20-yard line.
- 7.—Allow a forward pass in the end zone to be ruled an incomplete pass, instead of a touchback, except on fourth down.

New Prison For Utah Is Demanded

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, UP—Warden R. E. Davis branded the present state penitentiary as "an antiquated prison, open to riots and break-ins" in a demand to Gov. Henry H. Blood for new quarters for Utah convicts.

Much comment resulted from a former proposal to move the prison to Antelope island or Church island, in Great Salt Lake.

Moving the penitentiary onto the island, which is at present completely surrounded by heavy salt water, would make it virtually escape proof. Plans made for the construction of the dykes, however, would change that section of the lake into a fresh water body.

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Views on Taxes



JOSEPH H. CHOATE, Jr., director of the Federal Alcohol Control Administration, as he testified in Washington before the joint Congressional committee holding hearings on liquor taxation.



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Hoover, has now emerged as the professional friend of the taxpayer. His role is to "lead the nation back to sanity." He says: "The country can't borrow money fast enough to employ labor fast enough. Where will the taxpayer find a friend? On the Senate side of the Capitol stands an ancient hall clock that has been ticking continuously for 128 years. It is an eight-day clock, but Capitol guards now complain that it has to be wound every six days."

RABBITS!
After the Wright Brothers made history by their first flight at Kitty Hawk, they came to Fort Myer, across the Potomac, for further experiments. Today there are probably about 20,000 residents of Washington who say they witnessed these first flights. But a Secret Service operator, sent by old Theodore Roosevelt to make a report on the Wright Brothers, says the largest crowd was 125.

George Peck may have some queer ideas about best methods of helping the farmer, but he has certainly been a consistent farm worker. In ten years he has spent what for most people would have been a fortune booting the farmers' cause. Although personally

wealthy, Peck is not like some of his Wall Street friends able to recoup his campaign contributions by one tip on the market.

The strategy of some Republicans, when Congress convenes, is to block Roosevelt's Public Works and CWA appropriation. They figure that the success of the New Deal rests upon large expenditures in the form of an indirect debt. As soon as the masses are deprived of their bread, according to the Republican strategy, they will vote the bond that is them.

CAKEFUL
Publicly, Henry Ford is holding aloof from the NRA, has refused to sign the auto code. But privately the automobile manufacturer is carefully watching his p's and q's when it comes to abiding by the requirements of the law. Recently, a high official of his company called up the White House, wanted a temporary exemption from certain labor provisions of the code to permit rush operations in the production of the new model Ford. The request was denied. Sol A. Rosenblatt, deputy NRA administrator in charge of the movie code, has compiled a survey of movie salaries which contains some startling figures—of the 12,000 persons regularly employed in making films, 31 percent of the income goes to 100 individuals.

South Dakota's Senator Peter Norbeck, one-time well-digger and former chairman of the Senate banking committee, has no objection to the "Truth in Securities" Act, but he thinks it is really unnecessary. Says Norbeck: "Those 'Wall Street' operators picked everybody's pockets, so clean there isn't any money left to invest, even if there were any suckers left." Chunky Bill Green, president of the A. F. of L., is a vociferous advocate of shorter hours for workers, but when he wants a shave he wants it. Hurrying to an engagement at 10 o'clock the other evening, Bill de-

FAR NORTH SUSPECT IS PLANS FOR FOUND SANE CHRISTMAS AT HEARING

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The hearing which will be presided over by the Honorable Judge James C. McLaughlin, Jr., will begin at 10 a. m. today.

FORT SIMPSON, Northwest Territory, Dec. 23.—UP—Christmas is the big trading season for the natives in this vicinity.

Natives and trappers are busy here. The first week of the season has been a very busy one. Several trappers have been seen in the area.

CAMERON, B. A., Northwest Territory, Dec. 23.—UP—White children in the outpost of Cameron are busy with their Christmas preparations. They are playing tonight that Santa Claus would be able to get them in time to take care of them.

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EDMONTON, Alta., Dec. 23.—UP—Canada's northland aviators today were spending from the north at last minute pre-Christmas flights. During the flights they reported Santa Claus route to the north territories from Edmonton departmental offices.

In the past two weeks airplanes have flown 20 men to "the out-land" for Christmas. In addition, the machines have taken heavy mail shipments to the northern posts.

He needed a shave. He rushed about downtown Washington looking for an available barber. Finally, he found one, just closing. The barber was reluctant to return to work, but Bill told him who he was, how important it was that he appear at his best. He got the shave.

HUNGRY
Some of the delegates to the Consumers Conference attending Mrs. Roosevelt's luncheon, left hungry for snack counters at the White House. After a meal of tomato juice, a "waif" of fish, one of them wise-cracked: "They ought to put the White House on the relief rolls." There are many differences between industry's NRA and the Farmers' AAA, not the least of them being social—the other day the staffs of both gave holiday dances. That of the NRA was a swank affair, held in one of Washington's most fashionable hotels, and with everyone in evening attire. The AAA party was staged in an inconspicuous hotel, with formal dress wholly eschewed. At the NRA affair all the executives were present; at the AAA none put in an appearance.

Major George Berry, president of the Pressmen's Union, recently named Inish Johnson, was labor adviser to President Wilson at the Versailles treaty conference. He was decorated for his brilliant work. Rudolph Forster, executive clerk in charge of White House offices and personnel, has served under seven Presidents. Among White House attaches he is known as the "Permanent President."

He is known for his untiring courtesy and discretion. The new vaults in the Treasury, now approaching completion, are reported to have been built for silver storage. A large inflow of the metal is expected. Tentative NRA figures indicate that by January 1, 90 percent of all industry will be under codes. So far 170 have been approved.

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Out of Past



THE MOST Rev. Phillip G. Sener, D. D., Bishop of the Monterey Fresno diocese, stands by an absolution bowl used by Padre Janipero Serra, revealed by excavations preliminary to the restoration of the historical Carmel, Cal., mission. The mission was founded in 1770.

NEW FORM OF DRIVERS CARD TO BE ISSUED

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 23.—The issuance of an entirely new form of license to operators and chauffeurs of California who for any reason are restricted in the operation of motor vehicles under conditions other than normal, was announced today by John A. McGilvray, chief of the Bureau of Drivers' Licenses of the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Instead of pale cream, the color employed for ordinary licenses, the restricted licenses will be pink with a red border so that they will be easily distinguishable by traffic officers.

The word "restricted" will be printed across the face of the li-

cence. The restrictions governing each individual case will be written on the reverse side of the certificate, together with spaces for a record of any convictions of violations of the California Vehicle Act.

All applications for such licenses must be forwarded to Sacramento with the restrictions recommended by the examiner. Temporary licenses may be issued only in cases of emergency and subject to the restrictions recommended by the examiner.

Local Woman Is Called By Death at Home

Mrs. Anna Doric, of Shrook avenue, died at the Weimar sanitarium yesterday following a long illness. Deceased, who was a native of Croatia, had resided here for the past 15 years.

Surviving relatives include her husband, Frank Doric; a son, Louis of Richmond; three brothers, John Snarich of Richmond, Mike Snarich

YULETIDE TO BE OBSERVED IN RICHMOND

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eral signal for local lodges and clubs to do their best to carry out the Christmas season of cheer and good will.

ELKS ENTERTAIN
Innumerable Christmas parties, turkey dinners and luncheon and programs were given by the local organizations. The Veterans entertained Wednesday night at a party for their children.

Last night the Richmond Elks and the Austria-American society entertained for members and their families at their lodge balls.

SPECIAL SERVICES
Several churches also held Christmas parties last night.

Churches throughout the city will hold special services today and tonight. It was announced.

All Catholic churches will hold midnight masses while the two Episcopal churches will hold midnight services tonight. St. Mark's, St. John's and St. Paul's and Our Lady of Mercy churches will hold mass at midnight tonight. Special masses will be held by these churches on Monday morning.

The St. Edmund's Episcopal church and the Trinity church plan communion at midnight tonight.

NO PAPER TUESDAY
Cantatas by church choirs, programs by Sunday schools and special Sunday services have been planned by local churches for the day.

A list of these services will be found this morning in the church columns of this newspaper. All business houses of the city will be closed Monday. The RECORD-HERALD employees will take a holiday Monday. The next issue of this newspaper will be at your door on Wednesday morning.

of Illinois and Louis Snarich of Croatia, three sisters, Mrs. Kate Stanovich of Richmond, Helen Novachich of Nebraska and Mary Narich of Serbia.

She was a member of Croatia Fraternal Union of San Francisco. Rosary will be recited at the By-an-funeral parlors Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon with a blessing at St. Paul's Catholic church. Interment will be in St. Joseph's cemetery.

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GRID STARS TO CLASH TODAY IN NEW YORK GAME

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—UP—College football stars of the North and South will clash in an intersectional game at the Brooklyn Sports stadium tomorrow. The proceeds will go to the Kings county American Legion Welfare fund.

The All-North eleven was a slight favorite to win the battle, expected to be started off by Mayor-elect Fiorello H. La Guardia. It is the second annual battle. The South defeated the North 7 to 6, in their meeting at Baltimore last year.

The North will have an edge in the end play where Coach Jack McBride, former Syracuse star, will start Joe Tosi of Boston college and Joe Pilconia of Temple.

The backfield for the Northern eleven is expected to be Joe Buanno, Brown, Don Kellest, Penn, Bob Hogan, Pitt and Johnny Freitas Boston college.

The South will start five Alabama players—Colonel Leach, at left end, Jim Dilly, left tackle, Kirkland, left guard, and Buck Hughes and Bubber Walker in the backfield.

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